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STATE HISTORY FUNDS WILL PRESERVE HERITAGE STATEWIDE

State History has awarded more than \$100,000 in matching grants to 20 Certified Local Governments for the 2007-2008 grant year.

“These grants will help preserve the historic fabric of Utah’s communities—the unique heritage that helps us remember who we are,” said Philip F. Notarianni, State History director.

A Certified Local Government is a city or county that has been “certified” by the Utah State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) and the National Park Service as eligible to apply for National Park Service grant money. In order to be certified, a town or county must have an approved historic preservation ordinance and a historic preservation commission. The SHPO assists local governments in meeting certification requirements. Utah currently has more than 89 Certified Local Governments. For more information on the Certified Local Government program, visit **history.utah.gov**.

The following cities and towns received grants:

- **Brigham City**, \$4,716 to re-roof the Brigham City Relief Society granary.
- **Emery County**, \$3,000 to install an interpretive kiosk at the Swinging Bridge.
- **Farmington City**, \$5,000 to purchase National Register markers, create a walking tour brochure, and conduct a reconnaissance-level survey of approximately 100 buildings.
- **Gunnison City**, \$5,000 to hire a licensed architect to prepare architectural plans and drawings to meet ADA requirements for accessibility at Gunnison City Hall.
- **Heber City**, \$2,000 to create a walking tour pamphlet and map of the local historic buildings and homes.
- **Kanab City**, \$7,000 to repair the ceiling at the Kanab Library and prepare three National Register nominations.
- **Layton City**, \$4,000 to complete intensive-level survey documentation on approximately 10 historic buildings.
- **Manti City**, \$8,000 to replicate and install exterior window trim at Manti's Old City Hall, and re-roof building and repair windows at the American Legion Hall.
- **Midway City**, \$5,000 to conduct a reconnaissance-level survey on Main Street between 200 West and 580 East, and complete intensive-level survey documentation on approximately 16 historic buildings.
- **Moroni City**, \$3,000 for rehabilitation work on the Moroni Opera House.
- **Mt. Pleasant City**, \$5,000 to paint the interior of the historic Armory building.
- **Murray City**, \$8,200 to conduct a reconnaissance-level survey in the area of Van Winkle Expressway and I-15.

- **Ogden City**, \$13,727 to update walking tour brochures on Eccles District and downtown Ogden, complete intensive-level survey documentation on four historic buildings, prepare a National Register nomination, update kiosks on 25th Street, and purchase two historic markers.
- **Rockville City**, \$1,200 to construct a platform at the Grafton Schoolhouse for viewing the inside of the schoolhouse and the interpretive panels.
- **Sandy City**, \$2,115 to attend the 2007 National Trust for Historic Preservation conference, and to purchase two historic markers.
- **Sanpete County**, \$5,000 to hire a licensed architect to prepare architectural drawings for restoration of Liberal Hall, located on Mt. Pleasant's Historic Main Street.
- **Spring City**, \$7,950 for rehabilitation work on five National Register-listed properties located on Main Street in Spring City.
- **Springville City**, \$6,000 for rehabilitation of properties in the Springville City Plat "A" area, and website development.
- **Uintah County**, \$3,000 to prepare a National Register nomination for the Bank of Vernal building, purchase a historic marker, and continue indexing the Vernal Express for the University of Utah.
- **West Jordan City**, \$3,000 to create and print a booklet on historic sites and markers.

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